

Commander Neil Armstrong

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the Border for sheep and cattle took them into the very heart of what was then enemy territory. But times have changed, the English are our neighbours, and this old town of mine now produces cloth of the very highest quality, and is looked upon with favour as a peaceful holiday resort. You can, therefore, depend upon the warmest of welcomes should you ever be in a position to accept my Council's invitation; we should love to meet you in the land where your family tree could have its roots. Meantime, we all - and here I speak for the whole of Scotland - offer you our very best wishes for a safe and successful mission to the moon.

Warmest regards.

Yours sincerely,

Town Clerk.